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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath or declaration	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month	60
1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	1020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,180	2255	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal	
1402	500	2402	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	1000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	500	2452	250	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,500	2453	750	Petition to revive - unintentional	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	21** =	X	
Multiple Dependent	4** =	X	

Large Entity Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20
1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	360	2203	180	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	200	2204	100	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	50	2205	25	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2)

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

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1502	800	2502	400	Design issue fee	
1503	1100	2503	550	Plant issue fee	
1480		1480		Petitions to the Director	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee for Provisional Applications	
1808	180	1808	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

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AMENDMENT C

SIR:

This amendment for the patent application identified above is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 7, 2005, requesting the inclusion of correct status identifiers and indicating that the listing of claims did not include the text of all pending claims. During a conversation with Supervisory Patent Examiner Wynn Coggins, Applicants' representative confirmed that these comments were applicable to claims 11-14 and 28-31. These claims were withdrawn by Examiner in the Office Action dated March 15, 2004, and were subsequently canceled by Applicants in Amendment A submitted October 12, 2004. However, in subsequent correspondence with the Patent Office, the claims were incorrectly referred to as either "Withdrawn" or "Previously Withdrawn." However, consistent with the cancellation of these claims in the March 15, 2004, office action, Applicants hereby submit the claims in their presently canceled form, without reproducing

the text of these claims. Should Examiner believe that their status is otherwise, Applicants' representative kindly requests that Examiner take the action necessary to put the claims in the appropriate form for examination. Examiner is strongly encouraged to contact Applicants' representative if Examiner believes it will expedite prosecution.

The claims are reproduced beginning at page 3 of this paper.